

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF:

BONATTI, Davide et al.

Atty. Dkt.: 2545-0432

Title: A TRANSFER UNIT FOR CONTAINERS

Date: September 24, 2003

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the subject application as follows prior to fee calculation and examination: